

TO Whom it may concern:

I am writing in regards to the proposed plan to allow LPFM stations to take priority over FM translator services. This proposal could effect our current radio station K-Love (90.5 FM) in Bend, OR.

K-Love is my favorite radio station and a favorite of my children as well. It provides wonderful music and entertainment that is safe and enjoyable for the entire family to listen to. IF K-Love were to be displaced by an LPFM broadcaster, that provides other programing, I may not feel comfortable allowing my kids to listen to it. Since K-Love is listener supported, there is no private advertising on the station. To me this is a huge comfort, because I know that there won't be any businesses promoting their product to my children.

The children of today are being forced to grow up sooner than necessary. And a large part of that has to do with what children are being exposed to today through the advertisements or the media and entertainment industry. Since K-Love is a listener supported station, the public has the assurance that the money of the private sector will never dictate what the station promotes. Please, I urge you, do NOT replace K-Love with an LPFM station. In today's society, wholesome, family radio that is enjoyable for ALL ages is a precious commodity. Don't take it away from us.

Thanks for your time.

Sincerely,

Tami Gallagher
Bend, Oregon